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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

HIGHWAYS.

The itemized bills of the following accounts are on file at the Town Clerks Office:—

HIGHWAYS. (Gallup.)

Order

1	Charles Tyler, labor	\$4 00
104	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	58 50
120	Connecticut Quarries Co., stone.....	43 32
122	J. C. Gallup, 5 days	12 50
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	124 05
167	J. C. Gallup, 3 days	7 50
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	31 75
168	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	36 00
198	King Bros., man and team.....	9 00
199	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	9 00
200	J. C. Gallup, paid men.....	11 00
237	J. C. Gallup, paid men.....	46 24
238	King Bros., man and team.....	22 50
240	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	22 00
320	J. C. Gallup, paid men	4 00
342	J. C. Gallup, 8 days	20 00
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	149 42
343	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	91 50
421	J. C. Gallup, 10 days	25 00
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	150 41
422	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	110 00
449	J. C. Gallup, 10 days	25 00
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	155 86
450	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	121 02
484	J. C. Gallup, ten days	25 00
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	169 55
485	W. C. Sprague, man and team	118 89

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HIGHWAYS. (Jette.)

35	Marcel Jette, 5 days	\$10 00
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Order

	Marcel Jette, paid men	28 75
36	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team.....	40 50
91	Marcel Jette, 3 days	6 00
	Marcel Jette, paid men	19 52
92	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team.....	13 50
93	F. C. C. Smith, gravel	3 50
131	Marcel Jette, 14 days	28 00
	Marcel Jette, paid men	71 75
132	F. C. Smith, gravel	16 00
133	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team.....	89 00
174	Marcel Jette	3 05
175	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team.....	5 00
214	Nathan Exley, man and team, gravel.....	53 45
290	Sugar Brook Farm Co., man and team.....	8 60
393	Marcel Jette, 17 8-9 days	35 60
	Marcel Jette, paid men	133 90
394	F. C. C. Smith, gravel	9 80
395	Nathan Exley, gravel	5 50
396	John A. Baton, man and team.....	4 50
397	J. E. Elliott, man and team.....	9 00
398	W. W. Connell, man and team.....	9 00
399	Napoleon Dufresne, man and team.....	13 50
400	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team and gravel.....	71 60
401	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	18 00
402	H. B. Brown, man and team.....	15 75
437	Marcel Jette, 20 days	40 00
	Marcel Jette, paid men	153 25
438	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	99 00
439	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team.....	35 00
461	Marcel Jette, 21 days	42 00
	Marcel Jette, paid men	136 50
462	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team.....	105 00
463	Nathan Exley, man and team.....	8 15
464	F. C. C. Smith, gravel.....	14 40
509	Marcel Jette, 27 days	54 00
	Marcel Jette, paid men	190 30
510	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team.....	139 97
511	A. H. Mathewson, gravel	1 20
512	E. E. Battey, gravel	2 40

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HIGHWAYS. (Coffey.)

22	Simon A. Coffey, 24 days	\$48 00
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Order

	Simon A. Coffey, paid men	38 50
23	Herbert Tarbox, man and team.....	50 86
25	Daniel Downing, labor	21 00
26	Simon Coffey, man and team.....	36 00
27	John Daley, labor	22 75
29	Thomas Sweeney, labor	14 00
30	John Doyle, labor	5 25
31	William Knight, labor	3 50
32	Edward Palmer, gravel	1 80
34	James Doyle, man and team.....	30 50
74	Simon A. Coffey, 23 days	46 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid labor	42 75
75	Simon Coffey, man and team.....	43 00
76	Daniel Downing, labor	33 25
78	A. E. Hopkins, labor	1 75
79	Herbert Tarbox, gravel	5 40
80	John Doyle, labor	5 25
81	James Doyle, man and team.....	12 50
82	Simon Sullivan, man and team.....	11 50
83	L. A. Hill, gravel	9 80
84	Everett Washburn, gravel	4 70
85	John Daley, labor	32 47
86	William H. Elliott, man and team.....	27 00
87	Lewis Gendron, man and team.....	27 00
88	Wallace Wells, labor	3 50
89	J. P. Lathrop, man and team and gravel.....	14 60
138	Simon A. Coffey, 25 days	50 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid men	39 80
139	Simon Coffey, man and team.....	7 00
140	John Daley, labor	39 08
141	Simon Sullivan, man and team.....	9 00
142	Wallace Wells, labor	10 50
143	William H. Elliott, man and team.....	36 00
144	Daniel Smith, man and team.....	25 00
145	G. H. Gallup, gravel	10 30
146	John Doyle, labor	3 50
147	Daniel Downing, labor	3 50
177	Simon A. Coffey, 24 days	48 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid labor, etc.....	37 85
179	John Daley, labor	32 27
180	A. W. Dougherty, gravel	1 50
181	William Doyle, labor	6 25
182	Daniel Downing, labor	35 00
183	John Nolan, labor	3 50
185	Simon Coffey, man and team.....	87 00

Order

201	Simon A. Coffey, 20 days	40 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid men	33 75
202	Simon Coffey, man and team.....	13 50
203	John Daley, labor	16 33
204	R. W. Dearnley, gravel.....	21 40
205	Daniel Shea, labor	15 15
206	Arthur Perkins, labor	14 47
207	J. J. Doyle, man and team.....	40 50
208	A. H. Dawley, man and team.....	40 50
251	Simon A. Coffey, 25 days	50 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid men	36 25
252	Simon Coffey, man and team and gravel.....	83 00
253	John Daley, labor	24 88
254	C. B. Montgomery, labor	3 50
255	Daniel Smith, man and team.....	4 50
281	Simon A. Coffey, 12 days	24 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid men	81 25
323	Simon A. Coffey, 22 days	44 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid men	38 87
355	G. C. Dean, man and team.....	41 50
376	Simon A. Coffey, 30 days	60 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid men	60 65
378	John Doyle, labor	23 33
382	Elmer L. Greene, man and team.....	33 50
383	John Daley, labor	28 58
391	J. J. Doyle, man and team and gravel.....	28 60
392	Simon Coffey, man and team and gravel.....	49 00
424	Simon A. Coffey, 18 days	36 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid men	9 50
426	John Doyle, labor	15 75
427	Simon Coffey, man and team.....	81 00
428	Charles Vincent, labor	\$7 77
429	Isadore Conoyer, labor	14 00
432	Elmer L. Greene, man and team.....	31 50
433	Wallace Wells, labor	8 75
435	J. P. Lathrop, man and team.....	30 50
436	John Daley, labor	7 00
465	Simon A. Coffey, 23 days	46 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid men	137 85
468	Horace Knight, labor	1 75
469	John Daley, labor	36 75
470	Elmer L. Greene, man and team.....	88 00
471	Isadore Conoyer, labor	26 25
472	J. P. Lathrop, man and team.....	68 00

Order

500	Simon A. Coffey, 18 days	36 00
	Simon A. Coffey, paid men, etc.	168 04
503	Elmer L. Greene, man and team.....	17 50
504	Isadore Conoyer, labor	9 13
505	John Daley, labor	28 00
506	William Doyle, labor	6 75
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		\$2,940 48

TOOLS AND REPAIRS.

5	R. B. Witter, repairs for road machine.....	\$17 00
39	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, tools.....	1 32
40	E. T. Bissonette, repairs to scraper.....	11 75
65	Frank Stone, repairs	2 85
105	C. D. Salisbury & Son, tools	21 77
106	R. B. Witter, repairs.....	34 00
197	Frank Stone, repairs	90
228	The C. E. Barber Co., tools.....	15 48
242	A. C. Tillinghast, tools	8 70
409	George Despathy, tools	45
447	Frank Stone, repairs	2 20
455	The C. E. Barber Co., tools	5 70
508	The C. E. Barber Co.	75
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		\$122 87

STATE ROADS.

123	State of Connecticut, $\frac{1}{4}$ of repairs.....	\$6 43
246	State of Connecticut, $\frac{1}{4}$ of repairs, Plainfield to Canterbury road	1991 03
	State of Connecticut, $\frac{1}{4}$ of repairs	13 28
336	State of Connecticut	307 10
405	Nelson Gauthier, payment on railing	60 00
408	State of Connecticut, $\frac{1}{4}$ of repairs	53 02
443	Nelson Gauthier, payment on railing	129 08
473	Nelson Gauthier, payment on railing	40 00
476	State of Connecticut, $\frac{1}{4}$ of repairs	1 22
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		\$2,601 16

CULVERTS AND RAILINGS.

Order		
6	G. R. Bliven, labor	\$6 35
35	Marcel Jette, paid men	3 00
70	W. C. Sprague, man and team	21 50
71	J. C. Gallup, 3 days	7 50
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	26 80
72	Alex. Lavallie, care of culverts, 6 months	5 00
131	Marcel Jette, 3 4-9 days	6 89
	Marcel Jette, paid men	12 10
133	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team	6 50
174	Marcel Jette	3 05
178	Lawton Mills Corp., lumber	2 18
184	John Newton, labor	9 50
210	Marcel Jette, paid men	20 19
211	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team	9 00
234	H. B. Brown, posts	3 60
243	C. H. Phillips, posts	3 60
326	A. E. Hopkins, labor	1 75
327	Simon Coffey, man and team	9 00
350	Alex. Lavallie, care of culverts, 6 months	5 00
393	Marcel Jette, one day	2 00
	Marcel Jette, paid men	5 25
400	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team	4 50
		\$174 26

BRIDGES.

3	J. C. Gallup, paid men.....	\$3 75
97	A. C. Walker, labor	30 00
98	H. F. & A. J. Dawley, lumber	63 36
101	W. W. Rood, paint	1 00
104	W. C. Sprague, man and team	27 00
122	J. C. Gallup, 3 days	7 50
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	49 49
136	T. E. Main & Sons Co., cement	1 49
169	W. H. Heywood, spikes	3 50
226	Nathan Exley, labor	1 15
245	W. W. Rood, painting	35 69
333	Marcel Jette, 3 days	6 00
	Marcel Jette, paid men	10 50
334	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team.....	14 47

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393	Marcel Jette, 6 3-9 days	12 67
	Marcel Jette, paid men	28 39
400	F. C. Tillinghast, man and team.....	19 50
458	J. J. Fay	2 50
463	Nathan Exley, man and team	2 50
466	James N. Knight, labor	11 25
468	Horace Knight, labor	8 75
470	Elmer L. Greene, man and team	4 50

\$344 96

CUTTING BRUSH.

2	S. E. Lewis, labor.....	\$12 25
3	J. C. Gallup, 2 days	5 00
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	124 25
4	Robert Gardner, labor	11 00
24	James Mohan, labor	8 36
25	Daniel Downing, labor	8 75
26	Simon A. Coffey, labor	5 02
27	John Daley, labor	7 77
33	E. G. Davis, labor	10 88
34	James Doyle, labor	38 00
35	Marcel Jette, 1 day	2 00
	Marcel Jette, paid men	45 50
42	W. K. Davis, labor	10 71
43	Leonard Wilson, labor	17 50
71	J. C. Gallup, 2 days	5 00
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	120 47
77	A. L. Rundell, labor	3 15
90	James Mohan, labor	5 05
91	Marcel Jette, paid man	1 75
94	Nathan Exley, labor	1 80
131	Marcel Jette, 1 day	2 00
	Marcel Jette, paid men	15 75
167	J. C. Gallup, paid men	35 83
200	J. C. Gallup, paid men	15 75
493	Robert Gardner, labor	20 22
509	Marcel Jette, paid men	8 00

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REMOVING SNOW.

Order		
234	H. B. Brown, man and team	\$4 15
305	W. W. Cornell, man and team	29 55
309	A. H. Mathewson, labor	3 00
319	Clyde S. Miller, labor	7 00
320	J. C. Gallup, 1 day	2 50
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	16 50
323	Simon A. Coffey, paid men	32 86
324	J. P. Lathrop, man and team	47 87
325	Daniel Shea, labor	4 08
327	Simon Coffey, man and team	44 00
328	Edward Mortimer, labor	5 22
330	William Doyle, labor	5 25
331	Richard Doyle, labor	5 25
332	John Doyle, labor	1 75
333	Marcel Jette, 3 days	6 00
	Marcel Jette, paid men	18 90
335	A. F. Pierce, labor	2 20
337	William H. Elliot, labor	7 78
390	Joseph Roode, man and team	4 00
		\$247 86

WATER TROUGHS.

94	Nathan Exley, one year	\$5 00
194	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, one year	6 00
324	J. P. Lathrop, one year	5 00
		\$16 00

TOWN FARM.

11	Felix Lavallie, merchandise	\$4 25
12	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor, etc.	29 15
14	W. H. Heywood, merchandise	10 00
16	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	9 66
28	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., grain	36 64
39	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, grain and groceries, two months	222 97
41	Marchesseault Bros., merchandise	14 64
44	Geo. L. Stetson, salary, three months	112 50
	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor, etc.	51 02

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46	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, grain and groceries.....	76 15
55	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	15 75
62	H. A. Gallup, beef	9 49
63	C. H. Phillips, shingles	29 04
65	Frank Stone, shoeing, etc.	10 19
73	Marchesseault Bros., merchandise	23 63
96	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., grain.....	31 63
102	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	9 74
103	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor, etc.....	78 15
104	W. C. Sprague, supplies	3 15
105	C. D. Salisbury & Son, supplies	18 20
107	C. E. Hopkins, wood	25 00
108	J. W. Tuckerman, medicine	31 90
112	E. E. Dupuis, shoes	3 36
136	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., grain.....	32 64
151	Marchesseault Bros., merchandise	36 41
152	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, grain and groceries.....	184 52
153	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor, etc.	45 40
162	T. E. Main & Sons Co., grain, etc.....	44 58
165	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	8 49
192	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	6 48
193	Geo. L. Stetson, salary for three months	112 50
	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor, etc.	37 45
194	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, grain and groceries.....	105 33
195	C. D. West, merchandise	2 00
196	H. Couture, flooring	4 08
197	Frank Stone, shoeing, etc.	12 95
218	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor, etc.....	54 16
219	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, grain and groceries.....	34 60
228	The C. E. Barber Co., supplies.....	19 35
230	E. E. Dupuis, rubbers	1 50
231	J. H. Buteau, merchandise	10 62
232	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	4 52
234	H. B. Brown, fertilizer	24 00
239	G. W. Loring, merchandise	29 61
240	W. C. Sprague, pad	50
242	A. C. Tillinghast, merchandise	17 85
244	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., grain.....	96 20
257	North Plainfield Cemetery Association, fencing.....	12 54
260	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor, etc.....	32 35
261	W. L. Wilson, beef	10 08
271	Goldberg Bros., merchandise	1 65
283	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., grain.....	62 38
284	Marchesseault Bros., merchandise	47 56

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288	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	8 82
289	J. H. Buteau, merchandise	7 53
275	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, merchandise	55 69
297	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, grain and groceries	100 64
300	J. H. Buteau, merchandise	9 08
303	Frank Stone, shoeing, etc.	8 90
317	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	9 04
318	E. E. Dupuis, shoes	4 49
329	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., grain, etc.....	71 96
339	Geo. L. Stetson, salary, three months	112 50
	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor	40 65
341	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, grain and groceries.....	85 79
343	W. C. Sprague, one horse	275 00
344	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor, etc.....	58 55
351	J. L. Gardner, M. D.	2 00
363	E. E. Dupuis, shoes	2 50
367	J. H. Buteau, merchandise	7 44
372	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., grain.....	23 15
374	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	13 97
386	H. B. Chapman, beef, etc.	27 10
412	Geo. L. Stetson paid labor.....	41 75
415	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	14 16
423	O. W. Potter, labor	12 70
425	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, grain and groceries.....	67 94
441	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., grain.....	64 99
442	Marchesseault Bros., merchandise	40 44
444	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, merchandise.....	54 98
446	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	9 29
447	Frank Stone, shoeing, etc.	10 35
455	The C. E. Barber Co.....	14 85
460	Geo. L. Stetson, salary, three months	112 50
	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor, etc.	45 75
475	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., grain.....	38 36
477	Geo. L. Stetson, paid labor, etc.....	48 41
484	J. C. Gallup, care of farm, one year.....	15 00
485	W. C. Sprague, supplies	1 00
486	F. W. Daggett, merchandise	17 88
487	E. E. Dupuis, shoes	7 00
488	Boston Artificial Limb Co., leg for John Miller.....	75 00
489	J. W. Tuckerman, medicine, etc.	45 75
497	J. L. Gardner, M. D.	3 50
507	Marchesseault Bros., merchandise	36 84
508	The C. E. Barber Co., supplies.....	14 70

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OUTSIDE POOR.

Order

3	J. C. Gallup, paid expenses of Mrs. Cheverette to hospital	\$4 00
7	Raymond Rider, board of Mrs. Preston, one month..	8 00
8	A. Fontaine, M. D., Mrs. Frank Monty.....	10 00
9	Town of Sterling, Mrs. Weeks	25 00
10	Wauregan Store, Shackett, Brochu, Despatie, Burns	46 01
15	J. L. Gardner, M. D., Mrs. Jodoin.....	4 00
16	F. W. Daggett, Mrs. Jodoin	2 00
21	Backus Hospital, Collins, Anty Dragon.....	40 71
37	Frank E. Lathrop	1 00
41	Marchesseault Bros., LaRose Yates	26 00
50	Connecticut Colony for Epileptics, board for Mr. Lussier, three months	26 29
51	Hartford Hospital, John Miller	68 00
52	Goldberg Bros., Jodoin and Miller.....	16 38
53	Town of Voluntown, Jos. Besile.....	41 13
54	Edward Hall, milk to Ledger	1 13
56	Backus Hospital, Jos. Anty	20 00
57	L. N. Pratte, Miller Cheverette.....	5 87
58	Day Kimball Hospital, Cheverette, Duffy.....	25 50
59	G. C. Potvin, merchandise, Couture	6 00
60	Wauregan Store, Brochu, Despatie, Burns	49 50
61	Raymond Rider, board, Mrs. Preston, one month....	8 00
68	A. G. Dennison, Manderville child.....	11 50
71	J. C. Gallup, paid Miller's fare to hospital.....	1 50
73	Marchesseault Bros., LaRose Yates	26 00
75	Simon Coffey, milk to Mr. Goderre.....	1 27
91	Marcel Jette, paid fare of Kitchen to hospital.....	3 00
109	Town of Norwich, assistance to Mrs. Rothwell.....	24 00
110	S. H. Holmes, M. D., Mrs. Collins.....	12 00
111	J. L. Gardner, M. D., Mrs. Shackett.....	5 75
112	E. E. Dupuis, J. Bonin	13 25
113	Goldberg Bros., Mrs. Roy	6 00
114	Wauregan Store, Despatie, Brochu, Burns.....	84 90
115	J. W. Lavallie, rent, LaRose.....	19 50
116	A. Fontaine, M. D., Mrs. LaRose.....	5 00
117	L. N. Pratte, Morency	8 00
118	Backus Hospital, Marion, Matott, Anty.....	34 29
119	Raymond Rider, board Mrs. Preston, 1 month.....	8 00
134	F. E. Lathrop, taking Duffy to hospital.....	3 00
135	W. H. Richmond, moving Louis.....	5 00
136	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., wood, Mrs. Roy, Bushy..	6 00
151	Marchesseault Bros., LaRose, Yates	58 50

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154	The St. Agnes Home, board of Kitchen child.....	14 00
155	Raymond Rider, board of Mrs. Preston, 1 month.....	8 00
156	H. Couture, wood to LaRose.....	5 50
157	Hartford Hospital, John Miller	47 43
158	Backus Hospital, Conoyer	15 00
159	A. Fontaine, M. D. Mrs. LaRochelle.....	34 00
160	J. L. Gardner, M. D., Mrs. Choquette, Beauregard....	7 50
162	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., wood to Mrs. Brochu....	2 75
163	Day Kimball Hospital, Tavernere	83 50
164	Wauregan Store, Despatie, Jarvis, Burns, Brochu....	80 25
176	Napolean Bouthillier, milk to Burns	4 32
185	Simon Coffey, milk to A. Goderre	7 40
186	Jos. Arpin, merchandise to Mrs. Brochu.....	4 00
187	Morris Foster, taking Mrs. Trembly to hospital.....	5 00
188	Wauregan Co., wood to Choquette, Burns, Jarvis, Despatie	40 20
189	Backus Hospital, Mrs. Trombly	15 00
190	Raymond Rider, board Mrs. Preston, 1 month.....	8 00
191	Wauregan Store, Despatie, Burns Brochu, Jarvis....	57 22
212	Napolean Bouthillier milk to Mrs. Despatie.....	2 10
217	J. L. Gardner, M. D., Mrs. Broushie.....	1 25
219	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, Darbie.....	17 49
220	A. Bellavance, rent to Brochu	7 00
221	Jos. Arpin, Brochu	6 00
222	Gelinas Bros., Brochu	9 00
224	Napoleon Bouthillier, Brochu, Despatie	8 79
225	G. C. Potvin, Metott, Couture, Brisson, Hemingway..	41 00
227	Wauregan Store, Despatie, Brochu, Deloge.....	66 83
229	J. W. Lavallie, rent, LaRose, ten weeks.....	15 00
230	E. E. Dupuis, Brochu	4 75
232	F. W. Daggett, Darbie	23 64
233	Raymond Rider, board, Mrs. Preston, 1 month.....	8 00
237	J. C. Gallup paid expense, Mrs. Paradee.....	5 00
240	W. C. Sprague, moving P. Cheverette.....	5 71
241	Connecticut Colony for Epileptics, board of J. Lussier, 3 months	26 00
242	A. C. Tillinghast, Mrs. Green.....	17 00
244	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., wood to Brisson, Roy, LaBreck, LaRose, Brochu	31 45
248	Backus Hospital, Mrs. Trembly, Huntley, Couture...	26 00
256	F. I. Racine, care of Lavoie.....	6 00
258	Town of Norwich, assistance, Mrs. Rothwell.....	24 00
268	Jos. Arpin, Mrs. Brochu	20 55
269	J. L. Gardner, M. D., Brushie, Bovin.....	12 50
270	Backus Hospital, Platkin, Couture, Ive.....	42 87

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271	Goldberg Bros., H. Mettotte	3 50
272	James Gorman, rent, LaBreck	10 50
273	Wm. Roper, milk to Darbie	7 62
274	A. Fontaine, M. D., Brochu family.....	10 00
275	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, burial of Lovell, etc.....	29 30
276	A. A. Chase, M. D., Lavoie, Eno, Huntley.....	10 00
277	M. C. Mott, Gallows	6 00
278	Raymond Rider, board, Mrs. Preston, 1 month.....	8 00
279	Wauregan Store, Despatie, Brochu	43 14
280	F. Downing, M. D., Despatie, Beauregard, Muller.....	76 00
283	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., wood to LaBreck, Roy, Richards, Brochu	20 25
284	Marchesseault Bros., Yates, Muller, LaRose.....	72 50
285	Napolean Bouthillier, milk to Brochu, Despatie.....	3 96
288	F. W. Daggett, Richards, Darbie	19 18
291	J. C. Gallup, taking Sweet to Hospital, etc.....	9 93
297	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, Brodeau child.....	7 00
307	E. M. Allen, taking Huntley to Hospital.....	2 50
310	James Gorman, rent, LaBreck	8 75
311	Wauregan Co., wood to Despatie, Brochu.....	10 75
312	J. L. Gardner, M. D., Massier, LaBreck.....	39 80
313	Backus Hospital, Boisse, Muller, Platkin, Ive.....	85 46
314	Town of Windham, board of Mrs. Saville.....	306 00
315	Goldberg Bros., merchandise to Richards.....	11 10
316	Wauregan Store, Brochu, LaCharitie	22 25
317	F. W. Daggett, Richards	2 39
318	E. E. Dupuis, Brochu	1 35
320	J. C. Gallup, paid moving Mrs. Caron.....	6 97
321	Raymond Rider, board, Mrs. Preston, 1 month.....	8 00
322	Alfred Bellavance, rent, Brochu, 8 weeks.....	8 00
333	Marcel Jette, paid expense, sick tramp.....	3 13
353	Woodward Drug Store, truss, S. Couture.....	3 00
359	Connecticut Colony for Epileptics, Lussier.....	26 00
360	F. X. Desaulniers, Richard, LaBreck.....	83 11
361	A. Fontaine, M. D., Frenette, Brochu.....	54 00
362	Town of Norwich, assistance, Mrs. Rothwell.....	24 00
364	Raymond Rider, board, Mrs. Preston, 1 month.....	8 00
365	Jos. Arpin, Mrs. Brochu	14 00
366	Backus Hospital, Ive, Reo, Boisse, Muller.....	80 35
367	J. H. Buteau, Richards	16 00
368	Wauregan Store, Brochu	26 95
369	Wauregan Co., wood, Mrs. Brochu	5 50
370	Goldberg Bros., Fletcher, Brochu	10 50
371	Henry Trudeau, Arthur Hubert LaBounty.....	15 00
372	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., wood, Mrs. Brochu.....	1 65

Order

373	Mary E. Newton, milk to La Breck.....	24 40
374	F. W. Daggett, merchandise to Credit.....	12 00
375	L. N. Pratte, merchandise to Frenette.....	124 88
403	Napoleon Bouthillier, milk to Brochu.....	3 66
413	Alfred Bellavance, rent to Brochu.....	5 00
414	Raymond Rider, board, Mrs. Preston, 1 month.....	8 00
415	F. W. Daggett, Credit.....	12 00
416	Wauregan Store, Delia Brochu	18 00
417	Norwich State Tuberculosis Sanatorium, board of Mrs. Speed	10 86
418	A. G. Dennison, burial of Mrs. Paul Credit.....	22 50
419	Backus Hospital, Muller, Reo, Ive, Boisse.....	84 57
420	Day Kimball Hospital, Mrs. Garnier.....	5 75
421	J. C. Gallup, paid fare of J. Smith.....	1 00
440	Napoleon Bouthillier, milk to Delia Brochu.....	1 68
441	The T. E. Main & Sons Co., wood, Mrs. Brochu.....	3 25
442	Marchesseault Bros., Mrs. Yates	32 50
449	J. C. Gallup, paid fare of colored boy.....	81
451	Backus Hospital, Rioux, Ive, Muller.....	56 00
452	Day Kimball Hospital, Frechette.....	37 25
453	Raymond Rider, board, Mrs. Preston, 1 month.....	8 00
454	Connecticut Colony for Epileptics, board of Lussier, 3 months	26 29
479	Backus Hospital, Reo, Ive, Muller, Tavernere.....	86 30
480	Wauregan Store, Delia Brochu	28 92
481	Raymond Rider, board, Mrs. Preston, 1 month.....	8 00
482	Day Kimball Hospital, Frechette	8 60
483	Town of Norwich, Mrs. Rothwell, 3 months.....	24 00
484	J. C. Gallup, care of outside poor, 1 year.....	25 00
497	J. L. Gardner, M. D.	3 00
507	Marchesseault Bros., Yates	22 50

 \$3,564 09

 INSANE POOR.

66	Connecticut Hospital for the Insane, board of one patient, 3 months	\$26 29
67	Norwich State Hospital for the Insane, board of ten patients, three months	262 85
249	Norwich State Hospital for the Insane, board of eleven patients, 3 months	267 71
250	Connecticut Hospital for the Insane, board of one patient, 3 months	26 29

Order

276	A. A. Chase, M. D., examination of Mary Finnesey..	2 00
282	J. L. Gardner, M. D., examination and automobile to hospital	12 00
287	John E. Prior, committment, Mary Finnesey, Julia Eno, Anna Scranton	22 50
291	J. C. Gallup, taking Julia Eno and Mary Finnesey to hospital	10 00
298	Geo. H. Stanton, serving notice, Mrs. Scranton:.....	3 00
357	Connecticut Hospital for the Insane, Board of one patient, 3 months	26 00
358	Norwich State Hospital for the Insane, board of twelve patients, 3 months	307 14
494	Connecticut Hospital for the Insane, board of one patient, three months	26 00
495	Norwich State Hospital for the Insane, board of twelve patients, 3 months	308 00
496	Harry E. Greene, expense of procuring release of Wm. E. Phillips	84 16
		<hr/> \$1,383 94

Inmates of State Insane Hospital, July 31, 1916: Nettie Barber, Mary Dano, Emma Brown, John Hemingway, Minnie Newport, Mitchell Balbo, Alfred Boivin, Frank Rothwell, Patrick Cornell, Felix Sheehan, Julia Eno, Mary Finnesey.

PRINTING.

18	Burroughs & Hopkins, caucus lists	\$18 00
19	Dissel Publishing Co.,	2 00
122	J. C. Gallup, express	35
124	Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co.....	8 00
126	C. F. Burgess	57 15
127	Burroughs & Hopkins, voting lists.....	16 00
128	Jos. Bradford	1 33
129	A. J. Ladd, town reports, etc.....	150 50
173	State of Connecticut, printing ballots.....	31 15
304	Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co., record books, etc..	48 74
347	Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co.	9 50
406	C. F. Burgess	25 35
407	Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co., record books.....	23 91
		<hr/> \$391 98

DAMAGE BY DOGS.

Order		
38	H. B. Chapman, sheep and lambs killed.....	\$109 00
45	E. M. Allen, killing dog.....	3 00
47	David A. Adams, killing two dogs, sheep.....	20 00
48	John L. Chapman, shooting two dogs, sheep.....	10 00
100	Edward M. Allen, killing two dogs.....	6 00
262	Herbert Tarbox, hens killed	5 00
263	J. A. Potvin, hens killed	5 00
263	J. A. Potvin, shooting dog, hens	10 00
264	Jos. Gates, hens killed	20 00
293	H. B. Chapman, sheep killed.....	180 25
345	A. S. Kennedy, one cow.....	50 00
346	Henry Dorrance, sheep killed by dog.....	13 00
456	E. M. Allen, killing dog	3 00
490	E. M. Allen, killing dog	3 00
491	Rufus Daggett, hens killed	4 00
		\$441 25

TOWN OFFICERS.

13	John E. Prior, Daniel Smith, as per bill.....	\$21 89
20	F. B. Lafreniere, Auditor	25 00
22	Simon A. Coffey, 2 Selectmen's meetings.....	3 00
64	Wm. F. Curran, Auditor	25 00
74	Simon A. Coffey, 1 day making voters, and 1 selectmen's meeting	3 50
130	John E. Prior, Daniel Smith, as per bill.....	88 80
138	Simon A. Coffey, 1 Selectmen's meeting.....	1 50
148	S. L. Adams, salary, Town Clerk.....	150 00
150	G. R. Bliven, collecting \$437.35 on list of 1913.....	17 49
167	J. C. Gallup, paid R. Bigness, enrolling.....	45 54
177	Simon A. Coffey, 1 Selectmen's meeting.....	1 50
201	Simon A. Coffey, 1 Selectmen's meeting.....	1 50
	Simon A. Coffey, personal tax enrollment.....	24 14
213	George R. Bliven, collecting \$50,184.50 on list of 1914	221 73
215	Lorenz Krauss, Assessor	100 00
216	A. E. Shoales, Assessor	100 00
	A. E. Shoales, paid, supplies and postage.....	41 05
223	Marcel Jette, enrolling personal tax.....	22 68
247	Moses R. Brouillard, Assessor	100 00
251	Simon A. Coffey, 1 Selectmen's meeting.....	1 50

Order

265	Stuart M. Ellsworth, Board of Relief.....	7 50
266	I. F. Palmer, Board of Relief	7 50
267	Alfred H. Hyde, Board of Relief.....	9 00
281	Simon A. Coffey, 1 Selectmen's meeting.....	1 50
291	J. C. Gallup, enrolling personal tax.....	7 50
292	S. L. Adams, Registrar, indexing and recording 176 births	88 00
	S. L. Adams, Registrar, indexing and recording 116 deaths	58 00
	S. L. Adams, Registrar, indexing and recording 78 marriages	50 70
	S. L. Adams, Registrar, indexing and recording 80 burial permits	20 00
	S. L. Adams, Registrar, completing burial records...	8 80
	S. L. Adams, Registrar, paid physicians	73 00
	S. L. Adams, Registrar, paid sextons	15 00
323	Simon A. Coffey, 1 Selectmen's meeting	1 50
376	Simon A. Coffey, 1 Selectmen's meeting	1 50
424	Simon A. Coffey, 1 Selectmen's meeting	1 50
465	Simon A. Coffey, 1 Selectmen's meeting	1 50
484	J. C. Gallup, making voters, 1 day.....	2 00
	J. C. Gallup, Appraising town property.....	1 50
	J. C. Gallup, posting notices 5 times.....	7 50
	J. C. Gallup, posting liquor notices, 11 persons.....	22 00
	J. C. Gallup, Clerk of Selectmen, 1 year.....	25 00
	J. C. Gallup, 12 Selectmen's meetings.....	18 00
	J. C. Gallup, making copy for printer.....	5 00
499	S. L. Adams, salary, Treasurer, 1 year.....	50 00
	S. L. Adams, writing collector's book.....	35 00
	S. L. Adams, admission of electors and notices.....	16 00
	S. L. Adams, 3 town meetings.....	11 00
500	Simon A. Coffey, 1 Selectmen's meeting.....	1 50
509	Marcel Jette, making voters, 1 day.....	2 00
	Marcel Jette, 12 Selectmen's meetings.....	18 00
	Marcel Jette, appraising town property.....	1 50
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		\$1564 32

INCIDENTALS.

49	Southern New England Telephone Co.....	\$5 75
148	S. L. Adams, insurance.....	59 03
149	Jesse Hopton, labor on booths.....	2 00

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236	Southern New England Telephone Co.....	5 75
308	Southern New England Telephone Co.....	5 75
286	A. H. Mathewson, fire permits.....	6 96
348	Elliot-Fisher Co., repairs to typewriter.....	21 82
411	A. V. Woodworth, insurance.....	50 70
457	Matilda Battey, rent of store for tax collector.....	3 00
459	Southern New England Telephone Co.....	5 75
484	J. C. Gallup, postage, one year.....	7 14
492	Southern New England Telephone Co.....	38
499	S. L. Adams, as per bill	27 55

 \$201 58
TOWN HALL.

17	People's Light & Power Co., lights, one month.....	\$ 45
39	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, coal.....	60 85
69	People's Light & Power Co., lights, one month.....	2 25
95	F. W. Mitchell, janitor, 8 weeks.....	13 50
101	W. W. Rood, painting hall.....	92 20
121	People's Light & Power Co., lights, 1 month.....	5 55
137	F. W. Mitchell, janitor, 5 weeks.....	15 00
152	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, wood, etc.....	5 45
161	F. W. Mitchell, janitor, 4 weeks.....	12 00
170	A. J. Potvin, wiring.....	5 05
172	People's Light & Power Co., lights, 1 month.....	4 65
194	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, wood.....	4 87
219	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, wood.....	4 87
228	C. E. Barber Co.....	45
235	People's Light & Power Co., lights, 2 months.....	8 76
259	F. W. Mitchell, janitor, 9 weeks.....	27 00
275	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, coal.....	17 00
294	F. W. Mitchell, janitor, 4 weeks.....	12 00
295	James P. Pellett, janitor, 2 weeks.....	6 00
296	People's Light & Power Co., lights, 1 month.....	1 95
297	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, coal and wood.....	28 75
302	Town School Committee, 1 bbl. dust void.....	3 38
306	People's Light & Power Co., lights, 1 month.....	75
340	J. P. Pellett, janitor 5 weeks.....	15 00
341	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, coal.....	8 50
349	People's Light & Power Co., lights, 1 month.....	2 55
404	James P. Pellett, janitor.....	12 00

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409	George Despathy, repairs to heater.....	3 00
410	People's Light & Power Co., lights, 1 month.....	2 70
425	F. H. & F. W. Tillinghast, coal.....	8 50
445	James P. Pellet, janitor.....	12 00
455	The C. E. Barber Co., supplies.....	2 77
478	James P. Pellett, janitor.....	15 15
498	People's Light & Power Co., lights, 2 months.....	2 55
508	The C. E. Barber Co.....	25

\$417 70

NEW BRIDGE AT CENTRAL VILLAGE.

99	Ford, Buck & Sheldon, engineers.....	140 10
125	The Bulletin Co., advertising.....	16 00
166	R. L. Whipple & Co., mason work.....	825 00
209	A. C. Walker, labor.....	15 50
299	W. H. Richmond, man and team.....	11 50
320	J. C. Gallup, 2 days.....	5 00
329	The F. E. Main & Sons Co., lumber.....	441 02
338	The Boston Bridge Works, erecting steel work.....	2,241 00
352	Ford, Buck & Sheldon, engineers.....	145 06
354	H. Couture, labor, etc.....	108 57

\$3,948 75

STATE TAXES.

123	State of Connecticut, state tax	\$4,537 85
	State of Connecticut, personal tax	555 27

\$5093 12

NEW STREETS AT PLAINFIELD.

171	W. K. Pike, surveying.....	45 00
355	G. C. Dean, man and team.....	13 50
356	New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts.....	211 66
377	Henry Dorrance, man and team.....	22 50
379	A. W. Dougherty, gravel.....	16 20
380	B. R. Briggs, labor.....	6 25

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381	W. K. Pike, labor.....	3 00
382	Elmer L. Greene, man and team.....	18 00
383	John Daley, labor	8 75
384	Isadore Conoyer, labor	8 75
385	Charles Vincent, labor.....	5 63
387	A. W. Monty, labor.....	3 11
388	P. Monty, labor.....	6 02
389	J. G. Newton, labor.....	9 02
424	Simon A. Coffey, paid men and gravel.....	18 25
426	John Doyle, labor.....	7 00
427	Simon Coffey, man and team.....	18 00
428	Charles Vincent, labor.....	3 50
429	Isadore Conoyer, labor.....	9 52
430	G. C. Dean, man and team.....	19 00
431	Henry Dorrance, man and team.....	21 00
432	Elmer L. Greene, man and team.....	13 50
433	Wallace Wells, labor.....	8 75
434	Lawton Mills Corp., stakes.....	3 40
436	John Daley, labor.....	5 25
448	New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts.....	13 68
467	John G. Newton, labor.....	31 45
469	John Daley, labor.....	1 75
470	Elmer L. Greene, man and team.....	9 00
471	Isadore Conoyer, labor.....	1 75
501	John Newton, labor.....	7 10
502	C. H. Phillips, cement, etc.....	17 60
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		\$586 89

POTVIN AVENUE (New Street).

198	King Brothers, man and team.....	\$79 50
199	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	79 50
200	J. C. Gallup, 5 days	12 50
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	122 56
237	J. C. Gallup, 2 days	5 00
	J. C. Gallup, paid men	22 00
238	King Brothers, man and team.....	16 00
240	W. C. Sprague, man and team.....	18 00
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		\$355 06

MEMORIAL DAY EXPENSES.**Order**

404	James P. Pellett, as per bill.....	93 46
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LIBRARY APPROPRIATIONS.

474	Town School Committee, school library appropriation	\$95 00
301	Aldrich Public Library, annual appropriation.....	100 00
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		\$195 00

RECAPITULATION.

Highways (Gallup)	\$1,603 01	
" (Jette)	1,743 94	
" (Coffey)	2,940 48	
		\$6,287 43
Tools and Repairs	122 87	
State Roads	2,601 16	
Culverts and Railings	174 26	
Bridges	344 96	
Cutting Brush	541 84	
Removing Snow	247 86	
Water Troughs	16 00	
Town Farm	3,666 45	
Outside Poor	3,564 09	
Insane Poor	1,383 94	
Printing	391 98	
Damage by Dogs	441 25	
Town Officers	1,564 32	
Incidentals	201 58	
Town Hall	417 70	
New Bridge at Central Village	3,948 75	
State Taxes	5,093 12	
New Streets at Plainfield	586 89	
Potvin Avenue, New Street	355 06	
Memorial Day Expenses	93 46	
Library Appropriations	195 00	
Total amount of orders drawn	\$32,239 97	

We, the undersigned, Selectmen of the Town of Plainfield, hereby declare that the foregoing report is a true and correct amount of all orders drawn by us during our term of office, and also of all disbursements made by us during said term.

Dated at Plainfield, this 7th day of August, 1916.

JOHN C. GALLUP,
MARCEL JETTE,
SIMON A. COFFEY,

Selectmen of the Town of Plainfield.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Year Ending July 31, 1916.

RECEIPTS.

To balance from 1915 account.....	\$2,250 96
To cash from State, school money	\$4,025 25
State, tax on bank stock.....	2,270 10
State, dog fund	1,130 64
Town of Griswold, pupils in high school	120 00
Town of Canterbury, pupils in high school	315 00
Town of Lisbon, pupils in high school	90 00
Town of Sterling, pupils in high school	760 35
Town of Hebron, pupils in high school	45 00
Town of Voluntown, pupils in high school	147 68
Town of Griswold, pupils in high school	144 22
Town Clerk, dog license.....	589 00
State Comptroller, fox bounty...	8 00
Town of Windham	4 82
Stetson Town Farm.....	1,122 15
Town School Committee	69 24

Banks, Town notes	59,500 00	
Interest on Gallup Fund	457 86	
Interest on Town Deposit Fund..	372 30	
County Commissioners, liquor li- cense	3,178 50	
County Commissioners, fire bills	140 55	
Interest on bank deposits.....	26 46	
Errors and overdrafts	10 28	
Mitchell, hall rent	20 00	74,547 40
To cash from John C. Gallup, Selectman,		
Civil list fund	251 11	
Pool licenses	40 00	
Junk licenses	50 00	
Circus licenses	40 00	
Plank and gravel sold	27 10	
Town of Groton	44 00	
Hall rent	26 00	
Old junk, etc.	5 45	483 66
To cash from Marcel Jette, Selectman,		
Outside poor		7 00
To cash from Clerk Superior Court,		
Case Eugene Young	12 61	
" Samuel Goldman	25 05	
" Felix Bedard	24 00	
" Alex. Brostock	28 71	
" Young Mittimus	1 00	
" Golden Mittimus	1 00	
" Joseph McGarre	15 96	
" Lionel Dupuis	15 42	123 75
To cash from Sheriff Gates,		
Case Albert Mott	15 29	
" Charles Wood	1 90	
" Alice Foster	4 55	
" John Sullivan	5 02	
" William Huntley	15 20	
" Joseph Blais	21 27	
" Fred Fey	13 90	
" Joseph Hardy	1 44	78 57
To cash from Justice Briggs,		
Case Tony Davis	2 00	
" Harry West	1 00	
" Peter Godek	1 00	
" Leon Maynard	3 00	

" Henry Bergin	2 00	
" Louis Trudeau	4 00	
" Arthur Messier	3 00	
" Daniel Hallasey	4 00	
" Jeremiah Sullivan	1 00	
" Arthur Messier	3 00	
" Charles Nelson	1 00	
" Arthur Brown	1 00	
" Peter Fletcher	1 00	
On error	14	
" John Sullivan	1 00	
" James McThue	2 00	
" Horace Mason	2 00	
" Frank Floris	7 00	
" Gertrude Cole	5 00	
" Jake Felds	1 00	
" Frank Marshall	4 00	
" Frank Pisz	7 00	
Error in Justice report...	2 50	
" Jerry Sullivan	2 00	
" William Leclaire	1 00	
" George Lehroux	1 00	
" Freeman Carr	1 00	
" Walter Lavigne	1 00	
" John Hallasey	1 00	
" Jerry Sullivan	1 00	66 64

To cash from Justice Torrey,

Case Charles Donovan	5 00	
" William McKenna	1 00	
" George Burton	1 00	
" Nelson Burton	1 00	
" Edmond Cote	32 50	
" Fred Garlick	1 00	
" John Wakeley	2 00	
" Max Shulman	5 00	
" John Shiscinoski	3 00	
" Wilfred Couture	1 00	
" John Baker	1 00	
" Napoleon Belval	2 00	55 50

To cash from Justice Wood,

Case Joseph McLaughlin	1 00	
" Frank Marcey	3 00	
" Joseph Anty	1 00	
" Alphege Gagnon	3 00	8 00

To cash from George R. Bliven, Collector,

List 1910	154	61	
" 1914	1,216	33	
" 1915	48,063	25	49,434 19
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			\$127,055 67

EXPENSES.

By paid for retiring fourth series Town bond..	\$5,000	00	
By paid Brooklyn Savings Bank,			
For retiring Town notes	25,000	00	
By paid temporary loans	30,000	00	
Interest on loans	2,681	09	
By paid interest on bond account	600	00	
By paid State dog license money	591	50	
By paid Arthur A. Chase, M. D., Health Officer	293	10	
By paid A. H. Mathewson, Fire Warden.....	92	95	
By paid Napoleon Goyette, interpreter	3	00	
By paid interest on Gallup Fund	417	86	
Interest on Town deposit fund..	372	30	65,051 80

JUSTICES.

By paid Justice Briggs,

Case Isreal Boudeau	2	10
" Thomas Cole	2	10
" P. Charon	6	00
" Felix Bedard	4	45
" Philip Evans	6	45
" William Evans	6	45
" William Leclair	2	10
" William Devolve	2	10
" Philip Oclair	2	10
" Joseph McGarree	3	24
" John Hudde	3	10
" William Huntley	3	10
" Smith Huntley	1	25
" Alice Foster	1	25
" Thomas Moran	3	10
" Smith Huntley	1	25

" Alice Foster	1 25	
" Cornelius Meaney	3 10	
" Leander Deforge	2 10	
" James Fletcher	3 10	
" Eli Deforge	3 10	
" John Mulgrove	3 10	
" Roubui Negszyuik	2 35	
" Walter Lavigne	2 35	
" Andrew Chelling	3 35	
" William Friery	3 10	
" Ned Frey	3 10	
" Joseph Blais	3 35	
" William Huntley	3 35	
" Lurriel Dupont	4 20	
" Max Shulman	2 35	
" James Dean	3 10	
" William Friery	3 10	
" Levi Bruchuer	2 35	
" Henry St. Germain	2 10	
" Alex Rica	2 10	
" George Lynch	2 10	108 24

By paid Justice Torrey,

Case Samuel Goldman	3 10
" James Mulgrove	3 10
" John Smith	3 10
" Louis Gayner	3 10
" Patrick Madden	3 10
" John Baker	3 35
" Alex Bostock	4 35
" Edmond Cote	4 25
" Alex Bostock	4 25
" Max Abraham	2 35
" William Riley	3 10
" Charles McCarthy	3 10
" Fred Chartier	2 10
" Fred O'Neil	3 10
" John O'Donald	3 10
" John Mitchell	3 10
" James Noble	3 10
" Henry Legarry	3 10
" Michael Eagan	3 10
" Patrick C. Leahy	3 10
" Albert Mott	3 10

" James Shea	3 10	
" James Garvey	3 10	
" James Fletcher	3 10	
" John Welch	3 10	
" John McLaughlin	3 10	
" Roswell Moffett	3 10	
" Robert Raymond	3 10	
" Theodore Jones	3 10	
" John Smith	3 10	
" Henry McCarthy	2 10	
" Charles Wood	3 10	
" Michael Dwyer	3 10	
" John Sullivan	3 10	
" John Connor	3 10	
" Maurice Foster	2 35	
" Thomas Davis	3 10	
" Frank Roberts	3 10	
" Daniel Garner	3 10	
" Peter Turcott	3 10	
" Daniel Cummings	3 10	
" Michael Finnesey	3 10	
" Robert Raymond	3 10	
" John Ferley	2 10	
" William Drummond	3 10	
" John Affleck	3 10	
" James Lockwood	3 10	
" John Fallon	3 10	
" Juffer Bousquet	3 10	
" Samuel Goldman	2 60	
" Levi Abraham	2 60	
" John Sullivan	2 10	
" Asseman Priery	3 10	
" Joseph Harvey	3 10	
" Michael Delehanty	3 10	
" Peter Rolland	3 10	
" Earl Suddout	3 10	
" Charles Cudler	3 10	
" Charles Gorman	3 10	
" Joseph Hoar	3 35	
" James Cummings	3 10	186 65

By paid Justice Wood,

Case James Ingleby	3 10
" Timothy Connors	3 10

“ Franciska Youriski	2 35	8 55
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GRAND JURORS.

By paid Fred P. King,

Case Israel Roudeau	\$2 24	
“ Thomas Cole	3 24	
“ P. Charon	3 24	
“ Felix Bedard	5 48	
“ Arthur Bazinet	2 24	
“ Philip Evans	5 48	
“ William Evans	5 24	
“ William Leclaire	3 06	
“ William Devolve	3 06	
“ Philip O. Clair	3 06	
“ John Hudde	3 06	
“ Joseph McGarre	3 24	
“ Treffe Monty	2 24	
“ John Sullivan	3 24	
“ John Connor	3 24	
“ William Huntley	3 24	
“ Thomas Moran	3 24	
“ Eli Deforge	3 24	
“ John Mulgrove	3 24	
“ Roubui Negszyuik	3 24	
“ Walter Lavigne	3 24	
“ Andrew Chelling	3 06	
“ William Friery	3 24	
“ Fred Frey	3 24	
“ Joseph Blais	3 24	
“ James Fletcher	3 24	
“ Leander Deforge	3 24	
“ Cornelius Meaney	3 24	
“ James Dean	3 24	
“ Max Shulman	3 24	
“ William Friery	3 24	
“ Levi Brochur	3 24	
“ Henry St. Germain.....	3 24	
“ Alex Rica	3 24	
“ George Lynch	3 24	115 98

By paid Dennis R. Donovan,

Case Samuel Goldman	2 06
“ Fred Chartier	3 06

" William Riley	3 06
" James Mulgrove	3 06
" Louis Gagne	3 06
" Edward Cote	3 06
" John Baker	3 06
" Alex Bostock	3 06
" Max Abraham	2 06
" Charles McCarthy	3 06
" Fred O'Neil	3 06
" John O'Donald	3 06
" John Mitchell	3 06
" James Noble	3 06
" Henry Legarry	3 06
" Michael Egan	3 06
" Patrick C. Leary	3 06
" Patrick Madden	3 06
" Albert Mott	3 06
" John Smith	3 06
" James Garvin	3 06
" James Shea	3 06
" Alex Bostock	5 62
" John McLaughlin	3 06
" John Welch	3 06
" James Fletcher	3 06
" Roswell Moffitt	3 06
" Robert Raymond	3 06
" Theodore Jones	3 06
" John Smith	3 06
" Henry McCarthy	3 06
" Daniel Garvin	3 06
" Robert Raymond	3 06
" Maurice Foster	3 06
" Thomas Davis	3 06
" Frank Roberts	3 06
" Daniel Cummings	3 06
" Michael Fessery	3 06
" Charles Wood	3 06
" Peter Turcott	3 06
" Mike Dwyer	3 06
" John Affleck	3 06
" Joseph Fulton	3 06
" James Lockwood	3 06
" John Sullivan	3 06

" Joseph Hardy	3 06	
" Adeline Prery	3 06	
" Michael Delehanty	3 06	
" Peter Rolland	3 06	
" John Feeley	3 06	
" William Drummond	3 06	
" Simon Abraham	3 06	
" Juffram Bousquet	3 06	
" Earl Suddent	3 06	
" Charles Credler	3 06	
" Charles Gorman	3 06	
" Samuel Goldman	3 06	
" James Cummings	3 06	178 04

By paid Arthur H. Mathewson,

Case Daniel Congdon	2 18	
" Carl Hokanson	2 18	
" George Young	2 18	
" Peter Wells	2 18	
" Nellie Buckley	2 18	
" Adelard Ober	2 18	
" Augustus Eagle	2 18	
" Daniel Munger	2 18	
" Jeremiah Sullivan	2 18	
" John Dubek	2 18	
" Louis Ballard	2 18	
" John Skinner	2 18	
" George Champagne	2 18	
" John Skinner	2 18	
" John Skinner	2 18	32 70

By paid Fred T. Johnson,

Case Frank Joyce	2 06	
" James Ingleby	2 06	
" Timothy Connors	2 06	6 18

OFFICERS.

By paid George R. Bliven,

Case Israel Boudeau	\$12 20
" Emil Damon	5 85
" Jeremiah Welch	8 29
" Joseph McGarree	7 79
" Thomas Moran	8 29
" Treffley Monty	8 19

" Eli Deforge	11 29	
" James Fletcher	10 29	
" Cornelius Meaney	8 29	
" Leander Deforge	5 70	
" Thomas Moran	8 29	
" Joseph McGarree	7 79	
" William Huntley	9 69	
" William Huntley	9 79	
" Lionel Dupuis	5 24	
" William Friery	8 49	
" Joseph Blais	11 01	
" Max Shulman	3 76	
" James Dean	12 29	
" William Friery	7 39	
" Levi Brochuer	5 70	175 62

By paid Fred W. Mitchell,

Case Albert Mott	9 94	
" Patrick Madden	6 94	
" James Shea	9 94	
" James Garvie	9 29	
" John Smith	7 94	
" Patrick Leahy	7 94	
" Michael Eagan	6 94	
" Henry Legary	6 94	
" James Noble	7 94	
" John Mitchell	6 94	
" John O'Donald	8 29	
" Fred O'Neil	8 29	
" William Riley	8 29	
" Fred Chartier	9 20	
" Charles McCarthy	8 29	
" Max Abraham	3 40	
" Alex Bostock	5 50	
" Edward Cote	5 00	
" John Baker	7 32	
" Samuel Goldman	19 89	
" Louis Gagne	7 94	
" James Mulgrove	8 94	
" James Fletcher	9 29	
" John Welch	7 94	
" John McLaughlin	7 94	
" Roswell Moffitt	9 29	
" Robert Raymond	7 94	

" Theodore Jones	9 29	
" John Smith	8 29	
" Henry McCarthy	5 35	
" John Connor	9 94	
" John Sullivan	6 94	
" Daniel Garvin	10 94	
" Robert Raymond	6 94	
" Maurice Foster	2 85	
" Thomas Davis	8 94	
" Frank Roberts	11 04	
" Daniel Cummings	7 94	
" Michael Finnesey	7 94	
" Peter Turcott	8 94	
" Charles Wood	10 94	
" Michael Dwyer	6 94	
" John Affleck	9 29	
" Joseph Fulton	8 94	
" James Lockwood	6 94	
" John Sullivan	6 35	
" Joseph Hardy	7 94	
" Asseman Priery	7 94	
" Michael Delehanty	10 94	
" Peter Rolland	10 94	
" John Feeley	5 70	
" William Drummond	7 94	
" Simon Abraham	3 89	
" Juffram Bousquet	7 94	
" Earl Suddon	8 29	
" Charles Credler	7 94	
" Charles Gorman	7 94	
" Samuel Goldman	3 89	
" Joseph Hoar	8 14	
" James Cummings	7 94	485 61

By paid Edward M. Allen,

Case Felix Bedard	3 87
" P. Charon	18 23
" Thomas Cole	14 89
" Eugene Young	5 80
" Philip Evans	22 28
" William Evans	21 70
" William Leclair	2 45
" William Devolve	2 45
" Philip O'Clair	2 45

" Smith Huntley	11 34	
" Alice Foster	11 34	
" John Huddie	4 04	
" John Mulgrove	9 29	
" Roubui Negszyuik	12 48	
" Andrew Chelling	6 96	
" Ned Frey	9 79	
" Walter Lavigne	7 02	166 38
By paid Jeremiah Doyle,		
Case James Ingleby	4 94	
" Timothy Connors	5 94	
" Franciska Youriski	3 11	13 99

WITNESSES.

By paid Henry Paul,

Case Felix Bedard	\$ 90
John Reagan,	
Case Felix Bedard	90
R. Judson,	
Case Felix Bedard	90
W. E. Oldham,	
Case Felix Bedard	90
Jules Donset,	
Case Felix Bedard	90
Mrs. Donset,	
Case Felix Bedard	90
Alfred Desjardins	
Case Felix Bedard	90
Mrs. Desjardins,	
Case Felix Bedard	90
F. Campbell,	
Case P. Charon	90
W. E. Oldham,	
Case P. Charon	90
T. M. Barnes,	
Case P. Charon	90
Fred Racine,	
Case P. Charon	90
Leander Ouimet,	
Case P. Charon	90
Maglovie Langevin,	
Case P. Charon	70

Theodore Robiticelle,		
Case P. Charon	70	
D. B. Sweezy,		
Case William Evans	3 50	
William Dunn,		
Case Philip Evans	3 50	
Arthur Blanchette,		
Case P. McGarre	70	
John Keagan,		
Case Roubui Negszyuik	1 80	22 60
By paid Selectmen's Orders	32,239 97	
By paid Town School Committee Orders.....	24,791 22	
Balance.....	3,472 14	60,503 33
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		\$127,055 67

STANDING OF TOWN.

ASSETS.

Balance in Treasury.....	\$3,472 14
Sinking Fund Brooklyn Savings Bank.....	2,914 58
Deposit in Norwich Savings Society.....	23 27
Balance due from Collector List 1910.....	826 25
Balance due from Collector List 1911.....	812 18
Balance due from Collector List 1912.....	1,154 33
Balance due from Collector List 1913.....	827 46
Balance due from Collector List 1914.....	1,281 87
Balance due from Collector List 1915.....	3,407 21

\$14,719 29

LIABILITIES.

Order No. 52, given 1876, Treas. Town Deposit Fund....	\$700 00
Order No. 54, given 1876, Treas. Town Deposit Fund....	500 00
Order No. 48, given 1882, Treas. Town Deposit Fund....	1,175 00
Order No. 134, given 1882, Treas. Town Deposit Fund....	1,509 09
Order No. 195, given 1888, Treas. Town Deposit Fund....	200 00
Order No. 92, given 1893, Treas. Town Deposit Fund....	400 00
Order No. 155, given 1893, Treas. Town Deposit Fund....	500 00
Order No. 15, given 1893, Treas. Town Deposit Fund....	800 00
Order No. 113, given 1897, Treas. Town Deposit Fund....	221 00
Order No. 324, given 1909, Treas. Town Deposit Fund....	200 00
Order No. 81, given 1887, Treas. Gallup Fund.....	4,232 36
Order No. 165, given 1902, Treas. Gallup Fund.....	4,125 00
Danielson Trust Co. Town Note bearing interest at .04 per cent., due November 23, 1916.....	25,000 00
Danielson Trust Co. Town Note bearing interest at .04 per cent., due December 22, 1916.....	4,500 00
Outstanding Bonds E. H. Rollins & Sons, Boston, Mass...	10,000 00

\$54,062 45

Liabilities \$54,062 45

Assets 14,719 29

Indebtedness \$39,343 16

I hereby certify the foregoing report to be a true and correct statement of the standing of the Town of Plainfield, according to my best knowledge and belief.

SESSIONS L. ADAMS, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Plainfield, this 7th day of September, 1916.

H. ELMER LEWIS, Notary Public.

STANDING OF TOWN TRUST FUNDS.

GALLUP FUND.

Town of Plainfield, Order No. 81.....	\$4,232 36	
Town of Plainfield, Order No. 165.....	4,125 00	
Five shares Thames National Bank, Norwich, Conn	650 00	\$9,007 36

Interest Account.

Interest on Town Order No. 81.....	211 61	
Interest on Town Order No. 165.....	206 25	
Dividends from Thames National Bank.....	40 00	\$457 86

Contra.

Amount paid Town Treasurer.....		\$457 86
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TOWN DEPOSIT FUND.

Orders of the Town of Plainfield.....	\$6,205 09	
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Interest Account.

Interest received on Town Orders.....	372 30	
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Amount paid Town Treasurer.....		\$372 30
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WILLIAM KINNE FUND.

Amount on deposit, Norwich Savings Society July 31, 1915.....	\$524 38	
Dividends	21 16	\$545 54
Paid for Dictionary and Holder.....		18 80
Balance on deposit Norwich Savings Society July 31, 1916.....		\$526 74

HANNAH J. BOARDMAN FUND.

Amount on deposit, Brooklyn Savings Bank	
July 31, 1915.....	\$739 94
Dividends	45 24
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Balance on deposit July 31, 1916.....	\$785 18

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct showing of the Town Trust Fund of the Town of Plainfield, according to my best knowledge and belief.

SESSIONS L. ADAMS, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Plainfield, this 7th day of September, 1916.

H. ELMER LEWIS, Notary Public.

REPORT OF TOWN FARM.

Year Ending July 31, 1916.

RECEIPTS.

1915.		
Aug.	Milk, etc.	\$89 20
Sept.	Milk, etc.	83 60
Oct.	Milk, etc.	84 50
	Pigs	20 00
	Team work	14 00
Nov.	Milk	77 30
	Team work	1 00
Dec.	Milk, etc.	86 40
	Team work	31 10
	Beef	52 00
	Gravel	50
1916.		
Jan.	Milk and calf	79 65
Feb.	Milk, etc.	85 40
Mar.	Milk, etc.	90 00
Apr.	Milk	70 10
	Sand	2 00
May	Milk	46 20
	Pigs	20 00
	Team work	5 00
June	Milk	70 05
July	Milk, etc.	72 55
	Plank	60
	Fat heifer	41 00
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		\$1,122 15

CREDIT FOR TEAM WORK FOR TOWN.

1915.					
Aug.	Man and team	6	days		
Sept.	" " "	5	"		
Oct.	" " "	11	"		
Nov.	" " "	10	"		
Dec.	" " "	12	7/9 days		
1916.					
Jan.	" " "	9	"		
Mar.	" " "	23	5/9	"	
Apr.	" " "	16	"		
May	" " "	1	"		
June	" " "	14	"		
July	" " "	1	"		
109 3/9 days @ \$4.50					\$492 00

TRAMPS PUT UP.

1915.	
September	23
October	41
November	29
December	191
1916.	
January	171
February	141
March	177
April	111
May	41
Total number	925

SUMMARY.

Gross expense of farm as per orders drawn by Select-men	\$3,666 45
Credit by receipts paid Town Treasurer	\$1,122 15
Credit by team work for Town	492 00
	<u>1,614 15</u>
Net running expense	\$2,052 30

The number of inmates averaged 11.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE L. STETSON, Supt.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

This is to certify that we, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Plainfield, have examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Treasurer Town Trust Funds, Town School Committee and Town Farm, and find them correct.

Dated at Plainfield, this 15th day of September, 1916.

FRED A. FAGAN,
HENRY DORRANCE,

Auditors of the Town of Plainfield.

INVENTORY OF TOWN PROPERTY.

STOCK.

Six cows	\$300 00
Five cows	300 00
Two cows	80 00
Three 2-year-olds	75 00
Two yearlings	30 00
Two bulls	80 00
One calf	10 00
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	\$875 00

HORSES, WAGONS AND HARNESS.

One pair team horses.....	\$500 00
One gray horse	75 00
One pair team harness and collars.....	10 00
Two dump carts.....	75 00
One team wagon	45 00
One express wagon	20 00
One democrat wagon	8 00
One evener and whiffletree	1 00
One single harness	2 00
Two collars	2 00
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	\$738 00

HAY AND GRAIN.

Twenty-eight tons of hay.....	\$504 00
Eight tons oat fodder.....	120 00
Grain	20 00
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	\$644 00

POULTRY.

Sixty-five hens	\$20 00
Seventy-five chickens	15 00
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	\$35 00

SWINE.

One sow	\$16 00
One fat hog	20 00
Two shoats	24 00
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	\$60 00

FARMING TOOLS.

Two fodder cutters	\$10 00
One hay fork and rope	18 00
Six potato diggers	1 50
Six hay forks	1 50
Four plows	15 00
Four cultivators	12 00
One weeder	8 00
One horse rake	5 00
Two wheel harrows	15 00
Three saws	1 50
One Paris green blower	4 00
Six forks	4 00
Twelve shovels	3 00
Ten hoes	2 00
Two cross cut saws	1 50
Seven picks	3 00
Six drills	3 50
One wagon jack	50
One wire stretcher	50
Four corn knives	40
Six iron bars	3 50
One grind stone	1 50
Six chains	1 75
Three ladders	2 00
One mowing machine	15 00
Two harrows	8 00
One snatch block and rope	5 00
One grain cradle	1 00
Four milk pails	2 00
One wheel-barrow	1 50
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	\$151 15

ICE TOOLS.

One pair tongs	\$2 00
One chisel	1 00
Three pikes	2 50
One saw	3 00
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	\$8 50

CARPENTER TOOLS, FURNITURE, ETC.

Carpenter's tools	\$4 00
Household furniture	400 00
Provisions	25 00
Wood	5 00
Barbed wire	3 00
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	\$437 00

GROWING CROPS.

Four acres of corn	\$160 00
Three-quarters acre of potatoes	50 00
One acre fodder corn	5 00
Beans	5 00
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	\$220 00

MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY.

Four elbows	\$6 00
One steel scraper	3 00
One derrick	35 00
Four road machines	200 00
Stone drag	4 00
Four sand screens	8 00
Safe, Probate Office	100 00
Sixteen thousand feet of bridge plank	400 00
Typewriter and table	75 00
Adding machine	210 00
Thirty-five posts	3 50
Three drag planks	2 25
One steel road drag	15 00
Five bridge stringers	10 00
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	\$1,071 75

REAL ESTATE.

Town farm	\$5,000 00
Robinson place	700 00
Town house and equipments	4,000 00
Pest house	1,000 00
Furniture, Town Clerk's Office	125 00
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	\$10,825 00

RECAPITULATION.

Stock	\$875 00
Horses, wagons and harness	738 00
Hay and grain	644 00
Poultry	35 00
Swine	60 00
Farming tools	151 15
Ice tools	8 50
Carpenter's tools, furniture, etc.	437 00
Growing crops	220 00
Miscellaneous property	1,071 75
Real estate	10,825 00
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	\$15,065 40

ANNUAL

Report of the School Committee

—OF THE—

TOWN OF PLAINFIELD, CONN.,

—FOR—

The Year Ending July 14th, 1916.

The members of the Town School Committee and the dates when their terms of office expire are as follows:

William A. Keefe,	Plainfield,	October, 1916
Charles Bragg,	Central Village,	October, 1916
William S. Simmons, Chairman,	Central Village,	October, 1916
Henry Dorrance,	Plainfield,	October, 1917
William H. Kenyon,	Moosup,	October, 1917
John E. Prior, Secretary,	Moosup,	October, 1917
Frederick T. Johnson,	Waukegan,	October, 1918
James Ward,	Waukegan,	October, 1918
Arthur A. Chase,	Plainfield,	October, 1918

KINNE PRIZE.

Rev. Arthur H. Withee and Bradford W. Danielson examined the papers and awarded the Kinne Prize.

It was awarded to Hazel Miriam Chapman, of Central Village school.

Honorable mention was made of Harry Edward West, of Moosup school, and James Edward Carlen, of Central Village school.

CLASS OF 1916, PLAINFIELD HIGH SCHOOL.

Name of Graduate.	Course Taken.	Residence.
Dora Elizabeth Blanchard,	English,	Sterling
Gladys Dorothy Codlin,	Academic,	Moosup
Francis John Collonān,	English,	Moosup
Ethel Mae Davis,	Academic,	Wauregan
Clark Howard Denison,	English,	Moosup
Helen Florence Doyle,	Academic,	Stone Hill
William Francis Hall,	English,	Stone Hill
Walter Hawkins,	English,	Sterling
Howard Allison Kenyon,	English,	Sterling
Floyd Russell Main,	English,	Moosup
Ruth Standish Mathewson,	English,	Central Village
John Joseph Nolan,	English,	Plainfield
Doris Freeman Potter,	English,	Moosup
Stanley Leo Sullivan,	Academic,	Plainfield
Margaret Katherine Tootill,	Academic,	Sterling
Clarence Edward Winsor,	English,	Plainfield

GRADUATES OF GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.

Plainfield.

Marian Booth,	Charles Edwin Hopkins,
Donald Burke,	Augusta Krauss,
Mary Juliette Burke,	Napoleon Cleveland Letendre,
John Leonard Dougherty,	Thelma Helen Lynch,
Maude Munroe Graves,	Morris Henry Starkweather,
Andrew Tracy Wilbur.	

Moosup.

Raymond Augustus Allen,	Bertha Rose Blanche Potvin,
Harry Gallatin Grant Denison,	Clarence Linwood Salisbury,
Ellis Mason Kennedy,	Harry Edward West.

Central Village.

Hazel Miriam Chapman,	Dorothea Gallup Gardner,
James Edward Carlen,	Waldo Elbert Tillinghast.

SCHOOL LIBRARIES.

Ninety-five dollars have been received from the State for the purchase of library books, maps, globes and apparatus, which, with a like amount appropriated by the Town has been expended for the purposes named.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

NAME, OF SCHOOL.	Teachers' Salaries	Janitors' Salaries	Coal	Wood	Repairs and Improvements	Insurance	Apparatus	Cleaning House and Grounds	Furniture	Blackboards	Supplies	Totals
Moosup.....	\$2,470.00	\$300.00	\$148.00	\$3.25	\$306.26	\$84.00	.....	\$16.55	.....	.....	\$65.70	\$3,663.76
Plainfield.....	5,899.60	487.50	329.50	70.00	196.78	14.00	.....	43.50	.....	.....	177.83	7,218.71
* High.....	4,950.02	179.18	38.82	3.30	83.83	63.00	\$90.00	11.90	\$118.35	.....	166.49	5,704.89
Central.....	1,754.00	168.44	4.37	.....	71.22	63.00	.....	11.90	3.25	\$17.21	64.16	2,157.55
Wauregan.....	1,292.00	181.50	170.34	6.00	106.85	.....	.....	10.20	5.20	.....	50.88	1,822.97
Black Hill.....	380.00	.....	.....	40.30	.....	21.00	.....	4.50	3.25	.....	26.83	475.88
Stone Hill.....	332.50	.....	.....	18.00	14.10	.....	.....	2.40	.....	.....	6.83	373.83
Green Hollow.....	332.50	.....	.....	16.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.10	362.60
Pond Hill.....	380.00	.....	.....	16.00	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.07	406.47
Flat Rock.....	380.00	.....	.....	18.00	15.60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.04	422.64
South.....	380.00	.....	.....	11.00	62.93	.....	.....	.....	3.25	.....	5.03	462.21
Totals.....	\$18,820.62	\$1,316.62	\$691.03	\$201.85	\$860.97	\$245.00	\$90.00	\$100.95	\$133.30	\$17.21	\$593.96	\$23,071.51

* Principal of High School also acts as Superintendent of all Schools in Town and Acting School Visitor, but his salary appears under salaries paid High School Teachers.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Total from above		\$23,071 51
Enumeration	\$60 39	
Printing, Postage, Office Supplies and Incidentals	73 91	
Clerical Services and Assistance to Superintendent	203 95	
Telephone Rent	77 41	
Graduation Expenses—High School	32 07	
Salary Secretary	75 00	
Freight, Express and Cartage	74 21	
Transportation of Pupils in Town	236 10	
Compensation Insurance	29 10	
Free Text Books	715 78	
Rent—Central School	125 00	\$1,702 92
Supplies for Stock		16 79
Total Amount of School Orders Drawn.....		\$24,791 22
New Text Books on hand July 14, 1915.....	\$160 51	
Supplies on hand July 14, 1915.....	362 39	
Coal on hand July 14, 1915.....	400 00	922 90
		\$25,714 12
Deduct from above:		
New Text Books on hand July 14, 1916.....	\$135 66	
Supplies on hand July 14, 1916	375 17	
Amount received and due for Tuition—High School	1,425 99	
Amount received and due for Tuition—Grammar School	38 50	
Amount received for Supplies sold, Telephone, etc.	42 74	\$2,018 06
Gross Expense of Schools.....		\$23,696 06
Amount received from State School Fund.....	\$4,025 25	
Amount received from Town Deposit Fund.....	372 31	4,397 56
Net Expense of Schools.....		\$19,298 50

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. SIMMONS, Chairman,

JOHN E. PRIOR, Secretary,

WILLIAM A. KEEFE,

HENRY DORRANCE,

WILLIAM H. KENYON,

FREDERICK T. JOHNSON,

JAMES WARD,

ARTHUR A. CHASE,

CHARLES BRAGG,

Town School Committee.

THE FOLLOWING NAMED TEACHERS HAVE BEEN ENGAGED FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1916-1917.

School.	Teacher.	Salary.	Teaching Address.	Home Address.	Where Educated.
Supt. of Schools and	John L. Chapman.	\$1,550.00.	Central Village.	Central Village.	Brown University.
High School Principal	Asst. Prin. Josephine S. Armstrong.	900.00.	"	"	"
"	English. Mabel E. Razoum.	700.00.	"	Boston, Mass.	Radcliffe.
"	Mathematics. Beatrice E. Neal.	750.00.	"	Auburn, Maine.	Bates.
"	Science. Ethel L. Bartlett.	750.00.	"	Bridgeport, Mass.	Vassar.
"	History. Charlotte E. Reese.	700.00.	"	Brookline, Mass.	Wester University.
Principal.	Abbie L. Medbery.	550.00.	"	Central Village.	Willimantic Normal.
Room II.	Louise B. Seguin.	456.00.	"	"	P. H. S. and Summer N
Room IA.	Alice E. Ray.	456.00.	"	Moosup	Willimantic Normal.
Room I.	Katherine Corcoran	456.00.	"	Norwich	"
Principal.	Mattie E. Gibson.	650.00.	Moosup	Moosup, R. F. D.	Conway High.
Room IV.	Rossie E. Jordan.	456.00.	"	Gardner, Maine.	Gorham Normal.
Room V.	Annie E. Fraser.	456.00.	"	Moosup	Willimantic Normal.
Room III.	Lilla E. Millett.	456.00.	"	"	Killingly High.
Room I.	Mary C. Waters.	456.00.	"	"	Willimantic Normal.
Room I.	Cecilia M. Daley.	456.00.	"	"	"
Principal.	Cecil L. Butler.	900.00.	Plainfield	Plainfield	Bowdoin.
Assistant.	Ruth V. Maddock.	494.00.	"	Amesbury, Mass.	Salem Normal.
Room VII.	Agnes D. Hallahan	456.00.	"	Norwich	"
Room VI.	Helen K. Moran.	456.00.	"	Willimantic	Willimantic Normal.
Room V.	Florence A. Merriam.	456.00.	"	S. Acton, Mass.	Fitchburg Normal.
Room IV.	Christina Miller	456.00.	"	Taftville	Willimantic Normal.
Room III.	Mae Kennedy	456.00.	"	Moosup	"
Room I.	Annie Stubbs	456.00.	"	Plainfield	"
Room II.	Eda Hamann	456.00.	"	Norwich	"
(Portable I).	Loretta Sullivan	456.00.	"	Moosup	"
(Portable I).	Alice Bradford	456.00.	"	Plainfield	"
(Academy II).	Agnes B. Allen	418.00.	"	"	"
(Academy I).	Freda Evers	456.00.	"	"	"
Principal.	Florence A. Wheeler.	494.00.	Wauregan	Moosup	"
Room II.	Elizabeth Elliott	456.00.	Central Village.	S. Berwick, Maine.	S. Lancaster Normal.
Room I.	Maudie Houck	456.00.	Wauregan	Central Village.	Willimantic Normal.
"	Rena L'Heureux	418.00.	Central Village.	Norwich	Summer Normal.
Green Hollow	Louise M. Elliott.	370.50.	"	Danielson	"
Pond Hill	Ada S. Morrison.	418.00.	Moosup	Central Village.	"
Stone Hill	Helen F. Doyle.	332.50.	Plainfield	Haverhill, Mass.	N. West. University.
Flat Rock	Marian Bruce	380.00.	"	Plainfield	Plainfield H. S.
South	Ruth E. Moore.	418.00.	"	Rockport, Mass.	Gloucester T. School.
				Deep River.	Willimantic Normal.

ANNUAL REPORT

—OF—

The Superintendent of Schools

—OF THE—

TOWN OF PLAINFIELD, CONN.,

AUGUST, 1916.

TO THE TOWN SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Gentlemen:—

I herewith transmit to you the Eleventh Annual Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

The past year has been one of struggle to maintain our usual excellent standard because of the great increase in absenteeism on the part of both teachers and pupils. It was, however, absenteeism absolutely unavoidable, for never in our experience has illness been so prevalent as during the latter part of the Fall Term and throughout the Winter Term. While we had no real epidemic, contagious diseases were numerous, measles, whooping cough, scarlet fever, and grippe took toll in large numbers from our schools, and produced conditions extremely unfavorable to successful progress. The Spring Term was much more favorable and considerable of the ground lost during the winter was gained. In many instances pupils made rapid progress after returning to school so that at the close of the year we were able to allow them to go on to the succeeding grade on trial even though they had not wholly made up all the work lost. As will be seen by reference to Table 4 of the general tables accompanying this report there were 111 such cases, and it is estimated by the teachers and superintendent that fully 90 per

PROMOTIONS—JUNE, 1916.

Table 4.

	G R A D E S								H I G H S C H O O L				Totals		
	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	VII.	VIII.	Total	IX.	X.	XI.		XII.	Total
Single Promotions ...	156	64	76	85	114	40	40	21	596	18	16	12	16	62	658
On Trial	19	17	10	18	24	11	12	.....	111	9	7	6	.....	22	133
Not Promoted.....	24	1	2	9	9	8	5	.....	58	4	3	1	.....	8	66
Double Promotions...	3	5	4	.....	21	.....	.....	.....	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33
Totals.....	202	87	92	112	168	59	57	21	798	31	26	19	16	92	890

cent. of this number stand an excellent chance of maintaining their grade throughout the coming year.

Grade teachers' meetings were held throughout the Fall and Winter Terms and on May 4 a general meeting was held, which was addressed by Mr. Harry Houston, Supervisor of Penmanship in the New Haven Schools and author of the Houston System of Penmanship in use in our schools. Mr. Houston also visited the schools in Central Village and in Plainfield, and observed the work in penmanship. He expressed himself as much pleased at the progress in writing so evident in the schools he visited. He said, "You are decidedly on the up-grade here in Plainfield in the matter of writing and with the continued good work by the teachers the subject of penmanship will be one of the 'high spots' in your schools."

Last year mention was made by the Superintendent of the work begun in special lines, folk-dancing, agriculture, systematized play and the like.

On Thursday, November 4, 1915, all grade teachers in town visited the schools in the city of Providence. By special arrangement with the Superintendent, Mr. Winslow, opportunity was given us to observe the work being done along these lines. This visit was so enjoyable and the work witnessed of so practical a character that a great impetus was given us to continue in the work we had already begun. The teachers in the Central Village School accomplished a great deal during the winter and on June 2 gave a splendid exhibition on the lawn, which was witnessed by a large gathering. It was excellently planned and carried out, and was much enjoyed by all.

That this work is of material benefit to the schools is evidenced by the standing of the Central Village Schools. The average rank maintained by the pupils in all grades in Central Village has advanced nearly 20 per cent. during the year, and the amount of work done in each grade is nearly one-fourth more than in the corresponding grades in other schools. The superintendent also wishes to mention especially the excellent work done by the teachers in Central Village who have been responsible, in a large measure, for the results attained.

During the coming year we shall endeavor to duplicate this work in the other schools throughout the town.

In the rural schools good work along agricultural lines has been done, seed-testing, home garden work and in Black Hill School work in sewing, folk-dancing and other special lines has been successfully carried on. This work meets with the approval of the parents and strengthens the other work of the school.

No detailed mention of attendance returns are necessary here

as they are given fully in the accompanying tables. The only matter to which I wish to call attention is the excessive cost per pupil in the Stone Hill School. The average attendance in this school has been but 5.64. The cost per pupil was \$78.69. It is beyond question that these pupils would be better educated at a far lower cost were they transported to the Plainfield School. This excessive cost raises the average for the town beyond what it has been for the past few years. The average cost for our large schools, Plainfield, Moosup and Central Village is but \$25.93, a figure much below the average for the State. With the exception of Pond Hill, all our rural schools average nearly ten dollars more than the average for the State.

The State Board of Education favor consolidation, and within reasonable limits, it is certain that children can be better and more cheaply educated in well graded schools than in small rural schools. The sentiment in the Town of Plainfield, however, seems to be against such consolidation, but the Superintendent feels that the facts should be given that all may understand just where the increased cost per pupil comes.

In one respect the Superintendent feels that the schools of the town are not up to the standard—that is, the marked absence of vocational subjects, and such subjects as drawing, music and domestic arts. President Eliot, President Emeritus of Harvard University, says in a recent paper, * * * "Multitudes of Americans continue to regard sense-training subjects as fads and superfluities. They say: the public elementary schools should teach thoroughly reading, writing, spelling and arithmetic, and let natural sciences, drawing, music, domestic arts and crafts and manual training severely alone. This doctrine is dangerously conservative; for it would restrict the rising generations to memory studies, and give them no real acquaintance with the sciences and arts which, within a hundred years, have revolutionized all the industries of the white race, modified profoundly all the political and ethical conceptions of the freedom-loving peoples, and added wonderfully to the productive capacity of Europe and America."

No student of history, no manufacturer, no progressive business man, who reads the results achieved within the last twenty-five years alone, can long doubt the efficiency and the imperative necessity for the practical training of our youth in our public schools along scientific lines. The studies which served for our forefathers, however admirably adapted to their needs they might have been, are totally inadequate to fit the youth of to-day for the bread and butter struggle he is bound to wage the moment he leaves school. It is high time that we should awaken from our

lethargic and trance-like apathy in this regard and see to it that our schools line up with the best schools throughout the country in this respect, that our youth may have at least an equal chance in the struggle for existence.

And what is true of our grades applies with double force to our high school. We have established and maintained a high school that has been more than ordinarily successful in teaching thoroughly the old line subjects, English, Latin, History, Mathematics and the common sciences, but we have reached the limit of our expansion in other subjects. To show that such expansion is more necessary now than ever before I quote again from President Eliot. In a paper published by the General Education Board of New York, entitled, *Changes Needed In American Secondary Education*, President Eliot says, "The changes which ought to be made immediately in the programmes of American Secondary Schools, in order to correct the glaring deficiencies of the present programmes, are chiefly: the introduction of more hand, ear, and eye work—such as drawing, carpentry, turning, music, sewing, and cooking, and the giving of much more time to the sciences of observation—chemistry, physics, biology, and geography—not political, but geological and ethnographical geography. These sciences should be taught in the most concrete manner possible—that is, in laboratories, with ample experimenting done by the individual pupil with his own eyes and hands, and in the field through the pupil's own observation guided by expert leaders. In secondary schools situated in the country the elements of agriculture should have an important place in the programme, and the pupils should all work in the school gardens and experimental plots, both individually and in co-operation with others. A manual training should also be given, which would prepare a boy for anyone of many different trades, not by familiarizing him with the details of actual work in any trade, but by giving him an all-round bodily vigor, a nervous system capable of multi-form co-ordinated efforts, a liking for doing his best in competition with mates, and a widely applicable skill of eye and hand. Again, music should be given a substantial place in the programme of every secondary school, in order that all the pupils may learn musical notation, and may get practice in reading music and in singing. Drawing, both freehand and mechanical, should be given ample time in every secondary school programme; because it is an admirable mode of expression which supplements language and is often to be preferred to it, lies at the foundation of excellence in many arts and trades, affords simultaneously good training for both eye and hand, and gives much enjoyment throughout life to the possessor of even a moderate amount of skill." * * * "The observational,

manual and scientific subjects often awaken in a boy or young man for the first time an intellectual interest and zeal in work which memory studies have never stirred. Hand and eye work often develops a power of concentrated attention, which book work had failed to produce, but which can be transferred to book work when once created.

If the educational material and the method of instruction were right, the training given in the grades would be just as good for the children who leave school at fourteen as for those who go on till eighteen, and the training in the high school would be equally appropriate for pupils who do not go to college and for those who do.

The adoption of these principles would solve, justly, problems in the American tax-supported system of public education which have been in debate for generations."

This summarizes the case as completely as any single paragraph I have seen recorded. It expresses exactly our needs at the present time as regards our high school. We lack the very elements which President Eliot in company with every educator and large numbers of business men throughout the country deem altogether necessary for anything like a rational education. That we do not have these elements in our high school is due largely to the fact that our school has utterly outgrown our present accommodations.

To carry on the work it is our duty to carry on, to give our youth the education which the present day conditions of life demand, even to keep up to standard in the class of work we are now doing, presupposes a commodious and thoroughly equipped building in the immediate future.

This is the urgent, pressing, undoubted need of the public school system of the town of Plainfield to-day. Shall we hesitate longer before taking steps to supply that need?

Respectfully submitted,

J. L. CHAPMAN,

Superintendent.

General Statistical Table for the School Year, 1915-16.

NAME OF SCHOOL	Enumeration.	Registration.	Av. Membership.	Av. Attendance.	Per Cent. of Attendance to Enumeration.	Per Cent. of Registration to Enumeration.	Per Cent. of Av. Attendance to Registration.	Per Cent. of Registration to Av. Membership.	Cost per Scholar based on Av. Attendance.	Cost per Scholar based on Av. Membership.	Cost per Scholar based on Registration.	No. of Weeks in the School Year.	No. of Pupils Regis- tered in other than Public Schools.
Plainfield	507	487	352.15	325.30	.641	.732	.873	.925	\$24.65	\$22.20	\$18.10	38	.....
Stone Hill.....	9	6	5.84	5.64	.626	.940	.666	.967	78.69	76.00	73.97	38	.....
Flat Rock.....	29	21	18.88	17.21	.593	.819	.724	.911	28.62	26.09	23.45	38	.....
Black Hill.....	25	20	19.29	17.89	.715	.893	.800	.927	30.50	28.29	27.29	38	.....
Central.....	168	127	97.81	88.71	.528	.721	.732	.904	28.83	26.14	20.79	38	24
Moosup.....	707	245	193.54	171.22	.242	.764	.316	.907	24.31	21.51	18.58	38	381
Pond Hill.....	46	23	15.09	12.54	.272	.545	.500	.831	38.00	31.57	20.71	38	.....
Green Hollow...	14	14	10.62	10.05	.717	.717	1.000	.940	43.04	40.73	33.27	38	.....
Wauregan.....	261	71	53.19	48.90	.187	.688	.268	.920	43.41	39.91	30.32	38	148
Packer +	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South.....	17	19	12.72	11.88	.698	.625	1.117	.933	44.77	41.81	31.29	38	.....
HIGH.....	.....	112	96.20	90.39	.....	.807	.....	.939	55.36	52.02	44.68	39	.....
Totals.....	1789	1145	875.73	799.73	.....	.....	.....	.....	* \$38.48	* \$35.42	* \$29.77	.....	553
Averages.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.522	.750	.699	.918	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Counted Twice..	.....	73	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Net Registrat'n..	.....	1072	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Exclusive of High School.

+ Pupils attend school in Canterbury.

School Calendar for 1916-1917.

Grades, Thirty-eight weeks. High School, Forty Weeks.

FALL TERM, SIXTEEN WEEKS.

Will begin Tuesday, September 5, 1916.

Thanksgiving Recess, Thursday to Sunday, November 30 to December 3, 1916.

Will close December 22, 1916.

Visiting Day or State Convention, under direction of Superintendent.

ONE WEEK VACATION FOR HIGH SCHOOL.

TWO WEEKS VACATION FOR GRADES.

WINTER TERM.

Grades, Twelve Weeks.

High School, Thirteen Weeks.

High School will begin Tuesday, January 2, 1917.

Grades will begin Monday, January 8, 1917.

Mid-Year Examinations February 5-9, 1917.

Holiday, Washington's Birthday, Thursday, February 22, 1917.

February 12, Lincoln's Birthday, to be observed in an appropriate manner.

Schools will close Friday, March 30, 1917.

ONE WEEK VACATION.

SPRING TERM.

Ten Weeks for Grades.

Eleven Weeks for High School.

Will begin April 9, 1917.

Grades close June 15, 1917.

High School closes June 22, 1917.

Holiday, Memorial Day, Wednesday, May 30, 1917.

Grade Examinations, June 4-8, 1917.

High School Examinations, June 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 1917.

High School Graduation, Wednesday, June 20, 1917.

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LORENZ KRAUSS

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